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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$103.
 - \$63 for 7 total claims over 20.
 - \$40 for 1 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 523.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

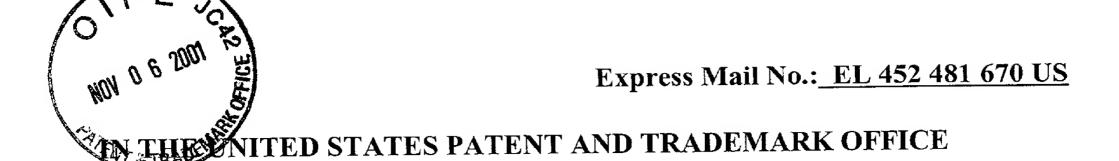
The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - Drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwritings, interlineations, folds, and copy marks.

A copy of this notice <u>MUST</u> be returned with the reply.

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Application of: KAVOORI et al.

Serial No.: 09/927,906

Art Unit: 2825

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For:

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DEVICE

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to the Notice to File Missing Parts of NonProvisional Application Under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b), mailed September 17, 2001, in connection with the above-identified application, Applicants submit the following documents:

- 1) Two Declarations for Nonprovisional Patent Application;
- 2) Power of Attorney by Assignee;
- 3) Substitute Drawings (13 Sheets)
- 4) Return copy of Notice to file Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Filing Date Granted; and
- 5) Postcard.

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1)	Basic Filing Fee	\$355.00
2)	Additional claims over 20	\$ 63.00
3)	Additional independent claims over 3	\$ 40.00
4)	Surcharge Fee for filing declaration	\$ 65.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosures